



# UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
www.uspto.gov

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	FIRST NAMED INVENTOR	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO.	CONFIRMATION NO.
-----------------	-------------	----------------------	---------------------	------------------

10/775,601

02/10/2004

Brent L. Hild

47097-01249USPT

1780

28763 7590 10/27/2009

BAKER BOTTS L.L.P.  
30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA  
44th Floor  
NEW YORK, NY 10112-4498

EXAMINER

TAWFIK, SAMEH

ART UNIT

PAPER NUMBER

3721

NOTIFICATION DATE

DELIVERY MODE

10/27/2009

ELECTRONIC

**Please find below and/or attached an Office communication concerning this application or proceeding.**

The time period for reply, if any, is set in the attached communication.

Notice of the Office communication was sent electronically on above-indicated "Notification Date" to the following e-mail address(es):

DLNYDocket@bakerbotts.com



**United States Patent and Trademark Office**

**Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and  
Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office**

**P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450  
[www.uspto.gov](http://www.uspto.gov)**

BAKER BOTTS L.L.P.  
30 ROCKEFELLER PLAZA  
44TH FLOOR  
NEW YORK, NY 10112-4498

Appeal No: 2010-000498  
Application: 10/775,601  
Appellant: Brent L. Hild et al.

**Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences  
Docketing Notice**

Application 10/775,601 was received from the Technology Center at the Board on October 20, 2009 and has been assigned Appeal No: 2010-000498.

A review of the file indicates that the following documents have been filed by appellant:

Appeal Brief filed on: May 19, 2009  
Reply Brief filed on: September 23, 2009  
Request for Hearing filed on: NONE

In all future communications regarding this appeal, please include both the application number and the appeal number.

The mailing address for the Board is:

BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES  
UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
P.O. BOX 1450  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313-1450

The facsimile number of the Board is 571-273-0052. Because of the heightened security in the Washington D.C. area, facsimile communications are recommended. Telephone inquiries can be made by calling 571-272-9797 and should be directed to a Program and Resource Administrator.

By order of the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences.